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August Change Cycle

Following is a list of changes that were implemented for the August Change Cycle on Saturday, 8/21/04:

1. **School Table Update:** Updated the school table for the Patient Registration face sheet with the current school and school district listing from the California Department of Education.
2. **SCI / CIN Update:** Because E47 requires that the primary CIN be on the SAF and on the provider's claim when billing, CMS has created an automated process to receive the SCI referral file from ITSD and replace the existing CMS Net CIN on file with the CIN from the SCI referral file. This will allow the FI to pay the claims resulting from CMS Net Service Authorization (SAR). The system will also generate an automatic narrative in the client record to show that the CIN number has been automatically changed from the old CIN to the new CIN.
3. **Delete Ticklers:** Added a new screen to allow System Administrators the ability to delete invalid ticklers. Users will need to call the Help Desk to request an invalid tickler to be deleted from the patient record.
4. **Medi-Cal Coverage:** Implemented correction to the Medi-cal Coverage screen so that the Medi-Cal number can be saved from the MEDS Inquiry/Medi-Cal Coverage Results screen when there is no Managed Care on file.
5. **DX Codes:** Added Primary and Secondary diagnosis codes to the Enter SAR screen and to be printed on the SAR form.
6. **Authorize SAR Screen:** Corrected help text information for the Units and Quantity fields.
7. **SAR – Units for all NDC Codes:** Added the ability to enter units for Medical Supply NDC codes in addition to drugs requiring specific authorization.

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8. **SAR – State Approval Category**: Added Special Care Center Services to the State Approval Categories list in SAR.
9. **SAR – Help Message for Modifier Field**: Added Help text message for the modifier field on the Enter SAR and Authorize SAR screens.
10. **SAR – Service Category**: Added "Skilled Nursing Services authorized by CCS on behalf of IHO" to the Category list on the Enter SAR screen. This item does not require State Approval.